GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVATION
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WATER POLLUTION IN DELHI
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government are aware that drinking water in Delhi is highly polluted ;

(b) if so, whether the Union and State Government jointly propose to provide pollution free drinking water to the residents of Delhi; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR URBAN DEVELOPMENT & POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI BANDARU DATTATREYA)

(a)to(c): The Delhi Jal Board has reported that thedrinking water supplied by it in Delhi is not pollued/contaminated. A constant watch is maintained to ensure that the quality of drinking water is potable, wholesome and conforms to the standards laid for this purpose.